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## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR 1.136(a))

1. This is a petition to extend the period of time for third month for filing a response to the nonfinal action of February 20, 2004.

2. Applicant is: LARGE ENTITY

EXTENSION (MONTHS)	FEE FOR LARGE ENTITY	FEE FOR SMALL ENTITY
One month <input type="checkbox"/>	\$110	\$55
Two months <input type="checkbox"/>	\$420	\$210
Three months <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	\$950	<del>\$475</del>
Four months <input type="checkbox"/>	\$1,480	\$740
Five months <input type="checkbox"/>	\$2,010	\$1,005
TOTAL FEE \$475		

3. Charge the petition fee to Deposit Account No. 14-1263 and for any additional fee required or credit for any excess fee paid. A duplicate of this petition is attached.

Respectfully Submitted,

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